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FROM : SAC, Miami (105-14146) (C)

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Enclosed herewith are ten (10) copies of a
letterhead memorandum, dated and captioned as above.

Copies of the letterhead memorandum are being
disseminated locally to the following Federal agencies:
INS, CIA, Coast Guard, Customs, Border Patrol, USAFAD,
and State Department (Cuban Affairs), all Miami, Florida,
and to 111th M.I. Group, Orlando, Florida, Customs, Key
West, Florida, NISO, Charleston, S. C., and OSI, Robins
AFB, Georgia.

MM T-1 is [WF 1442-S*] (S)

MM T-2 is MM 639-S. (X) (u)

MM T-3 is CARLOS ZARRAGA MARTINEZ,
Key Source - Cuba. (X) (u)

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Sources contacted negatively concerning captioned
organization are: MM 635-S, MM 492-S (X) (u)

The enclosed letterhead memorandum is being
classified SECRET inasmuch as it contains information from
MM T-1 so classified.

Inasmuch as Miami sources actively engaged in Cuban
revolutionary activities have never heard of captioned organi-
zation, no further investigation is being conducted, UACB.

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CUBAN PATRIOTIC UNION

On July 26, 1967, MM T-1, a source who has been in contact with Venezuelan government officials in the United States, advised that he had learned from Enrique Tejera, Paris, Venezuelan Ambassador to the United States, of a conversation he had with Carlos Vicente Hurtado on that date. Hurtado is registered with the United States Department of Justice, listing his foreign principal as the Embassy of Venezuela. (S) (S) (S)

During the conversation, Tejera asked Hurtado if he had seen the article appearing on July 24, 1967, and written by syndicated columnist Virginia Prewett. According to Tejera, the article contained a number of "idiotic" statements and he was curious to determine Prewett's source for these statements. He specifically wanted to know where Prewett heard that "Venezuela has a build-up for the Cuban Patriotic Union." In response to a question posed by Tejera, Hurtado stated that he knew Prewett but had not seen her for years. (S) (S) (S) (R)

"The Washington Daily News," a daily newspaper published in Washington, D. C., on July 24, 1967, contained an article by syndicated columnist Virginia Prewett. This article is as follows:

*"VENEZUELA AROUSED"

"Venezuela is getting into position to retaliate directly for Castro's guerilla warfare against its democratic regime.

"'If Venezuela is irritated enough, we'll take direct action,' two top Venezuelan official personalities have told me.

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